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To: Governor Brian D. Schweitzer and the Montana State Legislators

My name is Malcolm Fowlie and I have lived in Montana for over 20 years. My family and I love Montana. I have been the part of startup companies and have held several management and sales positions.

I currently work in the medical marijuana industry. I have had the opportunity to visit with dozens of dispensaries all around Montana. The quality of character, the true concern for patients has been a theme that I have found again and again. The positive testimonies as to the healing properties of medical marijuana have been very inspirational.

Please do not take our rights away from us due to the prejudice of some, the smear campaigns of others and the fear and closed mindedness of those that are truly uninformed.

Please veto HB 161. Help fix some of the problems we have currently with the intent to fix and not with a hidden agenda to punish, manipulate and twist the voters will.

Respectfully,

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